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DUCE OPENS CITY ON MARSH AS WAR RAGES

Rate Increase Seen as Necessary for Repair of Leaking Mains; Warning That Marion Should Prepare for Emergencies If City Acquires Water System.

By Bob Bond
Marion Star Staff Writer

MANSFIELD, O. April 25—This Richland county city is in the midst of a difficult problem trying to finance repairs for its city owned water system by furnishing Marion with a timely illustration of the importance of a municipally owned water plant accumulating a sizeable fund for emergencies.

Mansfield's current waterworks

'Whose Is It?'
Game Puzzles
Auto Owners

Marion Stolen Car Mystery
Turns Into Comedy of Errors.

The old game of button button who's got the button was played with variations for more than an hour here last night. Automobiles however were substituted for buttons and so mystifying was the game that it took police and the owners of two machines an hour to learn who really had the button.

All started when O. J. Ogle Gearhiser operator of a filling station at Davids and Woodrow Avenue and O. L. Dusang of Woodrow Avenue entered what they thought was Gearhiser's 1933 model automobile at Davids and Center streets to drive up town. They parked in the uptown district and after attending to several matters returned to the machine to go home.

Dusang climbed into the front seat but Gearhiser noticing the license plates said Wait a minute that's not my car. Then the fun started.

Next to the place where the car was parked was an open space and the two men concluded Gearhiser's car had been stolen.

He takes the blame.

This will teach me to take the key out after this, Gearhiser said as he and Dusang started to the police station to report the machine stolen.

Before they left the station however the situation became still more complicated. While they were waiting the police telephone rang. Some one whose name neither police nor Gearhiser recalled was reporting the theft of his 1933 model car from the corner of Davids and Center street.

That's funny, Gearhiser remarked. That sounds like a description of my car.

With nothing else to do but go home Gearhiser and Dusang called a taxi to take them to Oakland Heights.

Imagine their surprise when as they rounded the corner at Davids and Center streets they saw Gearhiser's car exactly where they had parked it some time before.

Check up starts.

With the stolen car found they returned to the police station to report the find. In the meantime the owner of the other car had arrived at police station to give additional information regarding his machine.

The two car owners began to check notes. Then Gearhiser had an inspiration. I think you will find your car where I thought mine was stolen, he said.

When the mystery finally was solved it was revealed that both machines had been parked at the curb at Davids and Center about the same time. Both were the same model color and make and both were bright and shiny. Both owners had left their keys in their cars when they parked.

When Gearhiser and Dusang drove away from the parking place the former remained. This clutch doesn't seem right tonight. I'll have to grease it tomorrow. When the other driver returned he climbed into what he thought was his car and was about to drive away when he noticed there were covers on the seat. Then he discovered he was in the wrong machine. But where was his machine? Then he called police.

In the darkness Gearhiser didn't notice that there were no covers on the machine he was driving.

Today, Gearhiser had resolved that from now on when he leaves his machine it will be locked. It cost me about \$1.00 for taxi fare and if they had caught me while I was driving that car it might have been a little jaile.

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is four miles away.

**DEMOCRATS SELECT
BARKLEY KEYNOTER**

Johnson To Be Permanent
Chairman Notification Rites

To Be in Stadium

By The Associated Press

PHILADELPHIA April 25—The national committee of the Democratic party has recommended U. W. Barkley of Kentucky as temporary chairman and of the convention which begins in June to be permanent chairman.

It was decided that President Franklin D. Roosevelt will be no longer in a Saturday session meeting at the annual Pennsylvania Franklin

municipal stadium in Philadelphia was selected to the meeting Chair.

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By The Associated Press

ITALY April 25—The office announced today that Pope Pius XI on his 79th

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GIRL RESERVES STAGE DRIVE

High School Groups Sell Tags To Maintain Program in City.

Girl Reserves of Marion turned silverware for today and are bringing their activities before the public in the form of a "tag" day. The project is a part of the organization's observance of national youth week and proceeds will be used to carry out a three-fold objective of providing funds to send a member of the faculty advisory board to a conference, a representative to a girl's meeting during the summer and establish a fund to further the building of a Y. W. C. A. in Marion. Working throughout the day were the following girls:

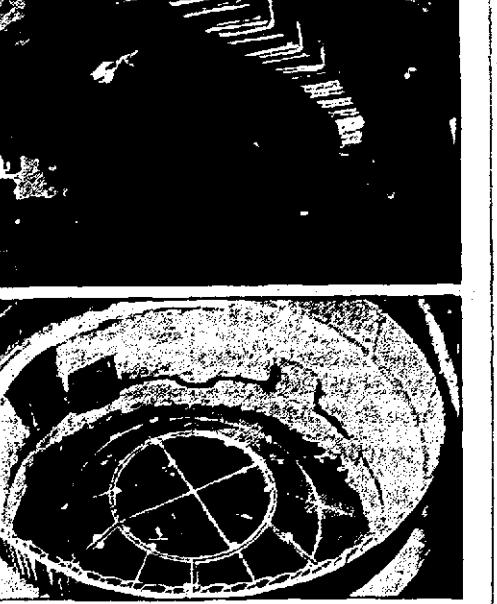
Martha Trowbridge, Evelyn Pease, Betty Bronson, Virginia Tracht, Mary Catherine Miley, Virginia Sutton, Mary Jane Brown, Donna Geibough, Elsie Knapp, Martha Rogers, Mary Ernestine Smith, Jean Ursopher, Esther Schorr, Mary Louise Hume, Thelma Wintingham, Betty Robert, June Thomas, Mary Waddell, Betty Jane Landon, Ruth Long, Doris Marble, June Swope, Charlotte Walker and Julian Walsh from Harding High school.

Edna Eargar, Ethel Nather, Gertrude Strauss, Betty Lee Christian, Mary Massie, Jane Ruth, Jane Chapman, Marjorie Ebert, Jane Snyder, Helen Dixon, Jacqueline Laucher, Grace Kenyon, Alice Wade, Marjorie Bowen, Mary Kenyon, Mary Knickle, Elberta Titus, Audrey Miller, Phyllis Iler, Ruth Sherman, Maxine Smith, Patricia Myers, Maxine Ensinger, Ruth Willmett, Helen Dixon, Alice Ensminger, Dorothy Marks, Alice Myers, from Central Junior High school.

Beretta Kline, Helen Knight, Clara Olive Lashley, Ruth Meadow, June Augusten, Rosella Otto, Beatrice O'Hearn, Ruth Millott, Helen Glassmeyer, Jean Harroff, Juanita Patleck, Mary Barrett, Doris Norton, Alice Stark, Verna Roberts, Dorothy Cratty, Edith Benson, Dorothy Thomas, Mary McClellan, Edwina Dunn, Ruth Dunn, Martha Roberts, Marie Spence and Ruth Bowen from Edison Junior High school.

Betty Richards, Dorothy Tolle, Jane Samples, Marian Schneider, Eileen Milton, Susan Shealy, Josephine Wilcox, Carol Epley, Betty Burns, Mary Frances Kuffman, Peggy Knapp, Jean Foaler, Marjorie Loyer, Hazel Bender, Mildred Young, Alice Jean Schell, Mary Ann Houghton, Doris May Davis, Sarah Ann Walsh, Barbara Caldwell and Margery Whitehead, from Vernon Heights Junior High school.

FRENCH PREPARE FEVERISHLY FOR "NEXT" WAR



Fearing outbreak of another war, France is building to protect the men, women and children who will be endangered far behind the front. Great under-

ground safety chambers are being built in the Paris subway system. At left is a steel door through which people would flee below. Top right, a view of the subway

tunnel with a tube along the ceiling to distribute unpurified air, which will be pulled into the chamber by the intake shown below. (Associated Press Photos)

Ring Ceremonial To Close Youth Week Observance

A ring ceremonial of the Aim-Hi Girl Reserves of Harding High and Thomas A. Edison Junior High schools Sunday afternoon at Central Christian church will bring the observance of National Youth Week, sponsored this week by all Girl Reserve clubs of the city, to a close.

The program will open at 2:30 p. m. with organ music by Miss

Kathryn Schneider. The litany of thanks by the Girl Reserves will be followed by scripture by Neldine Moore and prayer by Marian Knickle. Nancy Usner will talk on "Our Rings," and the ring presentation will be made by Mrs. John M. Quigley, a member of the advisory council. The acceptance

will be spoken by Maxine Schlaggenhaufer. Music by the girls will close the program. The public is invited to attend the ceremony.

Members receiving rings are Naomi Analey, Nadine Bonney, Elizabeth Bishop, Kathryn Courter, Lois Eikenberry, Helen Feller, Esther Mae Gaal, Clara Jane Gibson, Annette Hall, Evelyn Hazen, Margaret Hufford, Ruth Isaly, Mardie Ann Knapp, Miriam Kielkelly, Mary Ludwig, Mary Virginia Long, Virginia Llewellyn, Betty Lusch, Jean Metz, Margaret Ann Mautz, Pauline Parish, Margaret Queen, Josephine Ruth, Mary Jane Stauffer, Helen Steinbrenner, Dorothy Stephenson, Elizabeth Stoll, Patricia Stoll, Elaine Strawser, Lucille Stuckey, Florence and Mildred Zachman of Harding; Elizabeth Alexander, Evelyn Curran, Louise Irell, Clarice Marshall, Melinda Moore, Janet Quigley, Maxine Schlaggenhaufer, Dorothy and Dorothy Sheets and Margaret Watts of Edison.

Student speakers are Nancy Usner, Virginia Jackson of Harding and Helen Jones of Edison. Faculty sponsors are Miss Mabel Turney of Harding and Miss Margaret Usner of Edison.

TWO FLIERS DIE IN ACCIDENTS IN NAVY

Plane Plunges into Hill on West Coast; Another Crashes in Harbor; Sub Explodes.

By the Associated Press

LOS ANGELES, Calif., April 25.—In luck, striking thrice among navy craft, left two fliers dead today, four members of a submarine crew were recovering from injuries and two other airmen were safe in a narrow escape.

The accident occurred yesterday just three days before the U. S. fleet sails for the Canal Zone annual war games.

Lieut. Arthur A. J. Forrall, pilot, and W. G. Keir, aviation engineer, both died when their small, speedy plane crashed into a hill of the Pacific palisades near Santa Monica and burst into flames. Ward Clerk, one of five men coming out, was battered.

As they came out after picnickers ripped the doors open, temper cracked. Women pulled hair and tore each other's clothes. Ward Clerk, one of five men coming out, was battered.

COSHOCOTON STRIKE RIOTERS CALM DOWN

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of their number, for several hours, throwing old eggs and soft vegetables freely. The women had taken refuge there when quarrels broke out during a truce.

Fifty non-striking workers, mostly women, worked in the plant all day yesterday. Strikers and sympathizers, disregarding a non-interference injunction, besieged them and spiked the plant doors shut.

Hold Workers In

A crowd milled about the plant at quitting time and refused to let the workers leave. A union organizer, James Taylor, broke the impasse by agreeing to let the workers leave if they would promise not to reenter the plant until contempt citations against picnickers were settled.

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RICHWOOD MAN WINS COUGHIN BACKING

By the Associated Press

CLEVELAND, O., April 25—Sylvester V. McMahon, state supervisor of the National Union for Social Justice, announced today the union's central office at Royal Oak, Mich., had approved the organization's endorsements of candidates for congress in the 7th, 12th and 14th Ohio districts.

The candidates thus endorsed include George O. Williams, Republican of Richwood.

VENEZUELAN LEADER RETURNED TO OFFICE

By the Associated Press

CARACAS, Venezuela, April 25—Gen. Eleazar Lopez Contreras was reelected President of Venezuela today.

The Republican congress handed back to Lopez Contreras the authority he had relinquished temporarily last Sunday when Dr. Armando Borda, president of the supreme court, took over the office under provisional constitutional requirements.

P.T. A. SHOW DRAWS CAPACITY CROWD

A capacity crowd filled the auditorium at Glenwood school last night for presentation of benefit show, "The Old Maid Club," sponsored by the school P.T. A. About \$35 was realized. The money will be used to carry on activities of the organization.

The play was coached by Miss Lois Weaver and Miss Marie Cutarelli, members of the school faculty, and the cast of 16 women and two men included members of the P.T. A. A musical specialty was given by Everett and George Rowland, who entertained with guitar selections.

HICCOUGHS IS DATES

By the Associated Press

HAMILTON, O., April 25—Nellie Marcus, 21, entered her 14th consecutive day of hiccoughing today, while physician continued their efforts to halt the attacks by resort to remedies suggested by what appears to be a widening circle of persons seeking to be of assistance.

"It is better," he said, "that the farmers are paid for rendering constructive service and for building soil fertility which is, after all, the nation's greatest asset."

RELIEF STRIKERS' CHILDREN REST

By the Associated Press

CAIRO, Egypt, April 25—A bullet signed by six doctors said today that King Fuad of Egypt was not serious. She will remain in the hospital next Monday.

Lieut. John Eldridge Jr., pilot, and Ensign Jessie B. Burks crashed when they attempted to land their plane near the battleship Mississippi in Los Angeles harbor.

Eldridge was slightly cut and buried. Burks escaped injury.

KING FUAD OF EGYPT PASSES CALM NIGHT

Hemorrhage Described as Important Reported Stopped but Monarch Very Ill.

By the Associated Press

CAIRO, Egypt, April 25—A bullet signed by six doctors said today that King Fuad of Egypt was not serious. She will remain in the hospital next Monday.

A hemorrhage earlier described by the 68-year-old monarch's physicians as "important," was reported stopped "toward midnight" under a local anesthetic and since had not recurred.

"The necrotic stomatitis and fever are stationary," read the bulletin, "but there is a general depression and the circulation trouble is sensibly aggravated."

The illness of the Egyptian monarch was so critical that there were flying rumors all unconfirmed in palace official circles, that he had succumbed.

The king, ruler of Egypt since the British protectorate was declared ended in 1922, has been in bad health for more than two years.

A parallel reason for concern in Europe over his condition was the tense Mediterranean situation involving Great Britain and Italy.

Recent London dispatches said King Fuad had lost much weight and had been unable to attend state functions and festivals.

In event of his death Crown Prince Farouk, 18, now a student in England, would succeed him on the throne.

NEWSPAPERMAN DIES

By the Associated Press

CLEVELAND, O., April 25—Walter L. Davis, 35, writer and copyreader for the Plain Dealer, died yesterday while fighting a grass fire near his home. Apparently overcome by smoke and exertion, he died before a physician could be found.

GOVERNOR OUTLINES ACCOMPLISHMENTS

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of Cleveland, candidate for secretary of state; Clarence Kneidly of Eastside, candidate for treasurer; J. C. Mong, candidate for congressmen-at-large; John McGraw of Wooster, candidate for congressmen-at-large; and Ray Allison, state director of finance, who was the first speaker.

The governor's wife was also introduced. H. H. Hartman, chairman of the Crawford county executive committee presided and also headed the parade which escorted the governor from the city limits.

Taking part in the parade was the Ohio National guard field artillery band.

Charles Kanizer, local band, sang three solos before the speaker.

Shikat's Defeat Embroils Suit Alvarez Started

Some Believe Action To Void Contract Will Be Halted as Result of Bout.

By the Associated Press

COLUMBUS, O., April 25—Dick Shikat was in the midst of new complexities today following his defeat in Detroit last night by the grimacing Turk, Ali Baba, and the consequent loss of his claim to the world's heavyweight championship.

What effect the defeat would have on the suit of Joe Alvarez of Boston, matchmaker for Promoter Paul Bowler, against Shikat and Al Haft, Columbus' promoter, was conjectural. Some said it would end the action to declare valid the contract Alvarez says he holds over Shikat and to get an accounting of Shikat's receipts under Haft's management. Some said it wouldn't.

Haft and Alvarez each contend Shikat is their sole property, but Federal Judge Mell G. Underwood is the referee in this tangle and he is expected to rule next week.

To mix it up further, Shikat, who was injured in the bout, awoke from his hospital bed in Detroit that All Baba had fought him by throwing him from the ring onto the ringside chairs.

But all must wait until Judge Underwood decides on the basis of testimony, which closed yesterday until Monday morning.

The testimony brought out interesting data on the "inside" workings of the mat game, but Shikat, on the defense, promises more startling disclosures when he gets a chance to give his version next week.

Among the interesting charges aired during the Thursday and Friday sessions, some in open arguments by counsel and others in examination and cross-examination of prosecution witnesses, were:

That a group of six promoters, including Jack Curley of New York, Bowler, Ed White of Chicago, Tom Pack of St. Louis, Ray Fabiani of Philadelphia, and Joe (Tootie) Mondt of Los Angeles, signed a contract to share profits of their various promotional ventures.

That Shikat, in winning the heavyweight title March 2 from Don O'Mahoney in Madison Square Garden, ignored an "order" to lose and "crossed" the Irishman; and that Alvarez, although claiming that he was Shikat's manager, never signed a contract for a match for the wrestler, never paid him any money, or secured any matches for him.

Repairs Neglected

Regarding the underwriters' report, Mr. McMullen said the plant has not been given large enough operating budgets to keep pumps and motors in efficient operating condition. He said several of the pumps have been in use many years and have had virtually no repairs. He expressed opinion that the cost of repairs would more than be offset by savings in operating costs, but added the plant works are of insufficient capacity, with serious elements of unreliability. The distribution system is weak, with an excessive amount of four-inch pipe. Maintenance has been poor, as might be expected with the frequent changes in personnel.

CITY BRIEFS

Get False Call—Firemen from

company No. 2 answered a false alarm from call box No. 58 at Woodrow and Uncapher avenues this morning at 12:25 a. m.

In Hospital—Mrs. William Latia of 501 East Mark street has been admitted to the City hospital for medical treatment.

Sermon Topic—The disaster this week at Moose River mine in Nova Scotia will furnish the theme of a sermon which Rev. J. A. Carter will preach Sunday night at 7:30 at the Forest Lawn Presbyterian church. His subject will be "Parable of Life." The service will be especially for young people.

Confer Degree—Work in the Mason degree was conferred at a meeting of Marion Lodge No. 70, F. and A. M. last night. Master Masons and their families will be guests when Huntington Lodge of Columbus, presents a minstrel show Thursday night at the hall as guests of the Marion lodge.

Cosily Leaked

The council committee has recommended that a water survey firm locate all the hidden leaks, which Councilman Fred Miller estimated are costing the city \$2,000 daily on the basis of consumer meter readings, and that a \$30,000 WPA project be sought for the leak survey and a repair program.

Councilman Charles Shultz, chairman of the committee, recently asserted the city has made no effort "to provide financially for depreciation and worn out equipment" of the plant.

"It's fortunate for the city that the water system bound to break up some time, reached a crisis at the present time when it is possible to get federal help financially," he said.

Mayor Earl A. McFarland has suggested that a \$10 annual minimum bill for domestic users instead of the present \$6 charge would not be excessive and would help raise the needed funds.

Race Called "Ton Ton"

City officials interviewed by The Star asserted Mansfield's minimum domestic charge of \$6 a year is too low. This is one-third of the \$18 minimum bill paid annually by Marion domestic users and is approximately one-half of the average minimum charge of \$11.91 in seven cities surveyed by The Star.

Mansfield officials pointed out the plant is not self-supporting and selfliquidating on the present rate schedule. They referred to records in the office of City Auditor Paul Kelly showing \$249,600 in general taxation bonds have been issued for waterworks purposes in the last 10 years. These are being paid off by taxpayers, whereas a self-supporting plant would meet the bond payments from the income from the sale of water. Auditor Kelly said only \$93,000 in bonds payable from water plant receipts are outstanding.

Several officials privately expressed the opinion that water rates have been left at an unusually low level because any administration that raised them might become politically unpopular. There are other indications that politics has interfered with operation of the plant. One is the fact that approximately \$35,000 in delinquent accounts are outstanding whereas private companies and a number of municipally owned plants have been able to keep their delinquent accounts to a low figure. Also, the city has made a number of extensions of water lines to serve one or two outlying residences, although the revenue from these homes would not justi-

DR. ROBERTSON'S DOG WAITS

During the 11 days that Dr. D. Robertson was buried in the Moose River gold mine in Nova Scotia, his pet police dog waited for him. The faithful friend is shown at the mouth of the emergency shaft through which his master was brought to the surface.

MANUFACTURE PROVES NEED OF WATER SURPLUS FUND

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fy the cost of the extensions. The frequent changes in the personnel of the plant, pointed out by the National Board of Fire Underwriters, is regarded as another result of political interference with the plant's operation.

Comparison of Mansfield, with one of the lowest water rates in the state, and Marion, which has one of the highest, provides proof that the number of consumers and the amount of water they use demand largely on rates. In the 1930 census, Mansfield had only 2,000 more residents than Marion, yet the Mansfield waterworks has 11,699 consumers as

MARION GROUP ON PROGRAM AT GALION

Forest Lawn Church Men Will Conduct Services Sunday Night.

Men of the Forest Lawn Presbyterian church will give a program Sunday night at 7:30 at the Galion Presbyterian church, as a part of the Marion presbytery's plan of reciprocal services among the churches.

R. C. Kellogg, superintendent of the Forest Lawn Sunday school, will preside as chairman.

S. D. Ross will talk on "The Laymen's Work" and H. E. Walker will give a talk on "Fellowship."

The services will open with a hymn, "In the Service of the King," after which there will be invocation by Mr. Kellogg, scripture reading by Leo Penneck, and the offering.

Music will include songs by a quartet of the church's singers, a vocal duet by Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Church, and a hymn, "God Be With You Till We Meet Again." Rev. R. E. Porter, pastor of the Galion church, will pronounce the benediction.

A special program for young people will be given Sunday night at the Forest Lawn church.

SPRING MEETING SET FOR THURSDAY

The annual spring dinner meeting of the Trinity Baptist church Brotherhood will be held Thursday night at 6:30 in the church dining room.

Rev. J. O. White of the First Baptist church of Cooncreek will be the speaker. His talk will be on "Baptist Men In Action."

Clyde C. Smith, president, will preside. Arrangements for the program are in charge of a committee of which Dell Gorman is chairman.

RECEPTION FOR NEW MEMBERS PLANNED

The congregation of the Forest Lawn Presbyterian church will give a supper and reception Wednesday night for the 22 new members recently received into the church.

Supper will be served at 6:30 by a committee of which Mrs. Edith King is chairman. Entertainment afterwards will be in charge of Miss Perol Burley and Mrs. Ernest Williamson.

CHURCH ARRANGES ANNUAL CANVASS

An "every member" canvass will be conducted Sunday among members of the Emmanuel Baptist church to obtain pledges for financing the church in the coming year.

The annual business meeting will be held Wednesday night at 7:30, at which time church and Sunday school officers will be elected and the business of the church will be transacted.

"Save at Van Atta's"

**Heavy Galvanized
Clothes Line, 100 ft. 39c**

**Pinless Curtain
Stretchers, 48" wide-pair 49c**

**Curtain Stretchers
full 5x8' size with case
\$1.67**

**Garbage Cans
10 gal. size, heavy galvanized.... 79c**

**Bohyer's No-rub
Floor Wax, qt. 79c**

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Ohio law requires an education in addition to apprenticeship and also requires the applicant to pass a rigid written and oral examination to test his qualifications.

If he passes it, he is given a license to operate, and not before.

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LEADER IN MISSIONARY FIELD WILL SPEAK HERE

To Appear at Epworth and Other Methodist Churches in County Next Week.

One of the outstanding younger missionaries of the Methodist Episcopal church in India, Rev. John Patterson, will be the speaker at the Epworth M. E. church Sunday night at 7:30.

The congregation of the Prospect Street and Green Camp churches will join in the Sunday night service.

Next week Rev. Patterson will talk at the following churches: Monday, LaRue; Tuesday, Prospect; Wednesday, Wesley church on Olney avenue; Thursday, Asbury.

Rev. Patterson is superintendent of the Vikarabad district of the Hyderabad annual conference.

Under his direction is the service of about 75 Methodist churches, chapels and preaching places, and 33 Sunday schools. The district has 2,000 square miles of territory and 1,000,000 Methodists have been serving in Vikarabad City, an important center for the agricultural and industrial villages abounding throughout Hyderabad State.

Rev. Patterson went to India in 1920, after his ordination as a member of the Kansas annual conference. His first service was for six years as principal of the Hyderabad Boys' School and Bible Institute. He has served also as pastor in Securaband and Hyderabad, and in the work of Crawford Boys' School and the Kodikanal school.

Rev. Patterson was born in Scotland and came to America at a youth. He was educated at Baker university, Drew Theological seminary, and at Kansas State university.



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Great Work Accomplished

A SERMONETTE

By REV. WILLIAM H. DAVIS

Pastor, the Calvary Evangelical Church.

Text: "What is in thine hand?" Exodus IV:2.

MOSES was keeping sheep in Midian. God told him to go and deliver Israel from bondage. He shrank from the undertaking. We do not wonder that he did; for he was without training in warfare and without any viable means of prosecuting the work. He had nothing but his shepherd's rod, cut out of a thicket, the mere crabapple with which he guided his sheep. Any day he might throw it away and get a better one. But God said to him: "What is in thine hand?" And he said, "A rod." God then told him that while that rod, that mere stick, he should save Israel. And so it proved.

Use what is in thine hand! This is the method by which all great works for God have been accomplished. Notice some Bible examples of how God has used little things to accomplish greater things, and get some of the lessons they teach.

What is in thine hand, Shamgar? It is an ox goad with which he urged his lazy beasts. Yet used for God, Shamgar's ox-goad felled the Philistines. Suppose he had refused to use it because it was crude or small or ill-suited, as he thought, to the work. No such honor of the victory would have stood to the honor of Shamgar. There are people who are losing the honors of better victories today because they do not do their best with the things they already possess.

What is in thine hand David? It is only a sling, a little weapon he had made for pleasure or with which he kept the wolves away from his sheep. Yet with that sling he slew Goliath, whom the whole army of Israel dared not meet. Some of us have accomplishments we have never thought of more seriously than a source of some slight pleasure to ourselves or others. We can sing, or play an instrument, or draw, or paint a picture, or tell a story well. Have you ever thought of using your accomplishments for God? Or maybe it is some power you have gained in the pursuit of your business or profession. Whatever the accomplishment, whatever power you have developed, or skill you have cultivated, why not use it for God? You have no idea how much good it may result in if you will only use it, as David used his sling, in the name of the Lord of Hosts.

What is in thine hand poor widow? "Only two mites," did you say? Give them to God, and behold, the fame of your silence fills the world, and many others.

To Preach Here—Rev. D. R. Fitch of the Hollins mission in Richwood will preach Sunday at 3:30 p. m. at the God's Rescue Mission. The Pilgrim quartet of Marion will sing.

Trustee To Speak—The Prospect Street M. E. church will observe Christian education Sunday with a service Sunday at 10:30 a. m. at which C. R. Wilson of Ada, a member of the board of trustees of Ohio Northern university, will be the speaker.

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Time of Services, Sermon Topics and Meetings.

A. M.
Park Street—223 Park St Rev. M. L. Patterson, pastor.
11:30 a. m.—sermon, "The Meaning of Pentecost or Our Time."
1:15 p. m.—Sunday school.
4:30 p. m.—Epworth.

MAINTAIN

Main St. Main St. East City Library, Rev. Lawrence A. Wood, pastor.
1:30 p. m.—Sunday school. Geraldine S. Johnson, teacher.
1:45 p. m.—sermon, "From the Cross to the City of God."

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Social Affairs

the members of literary clubs centering their interests on closing the winter and the annual fine arts day program, and the clubs launching plans for summer. Marion clubwomen are making a spring calendar a full one. The Garden club, whose members are a flower show, will meet Friday of next week at the home of Mrs. Earl W. Sawyer at White Oaks Farm southwest of the city. Mrs. Cunningham, who will be a guest speaker, will talk on "Flowers." The fine arts program of the federation which handles the season's activities, will be held May 19 at Hotel Harding.

The tenth anniversary of the Shakespeare Club was celebrated at the three hundredth anniversary of the club at a luncheon at the home of Mrs. E. C. Click on Forest street. Mrs. V. W. Orth received the floating award. On May 7 the members will be guests of Mrs. Byron Pence of Windsor street.

Three G's Club Meets for Bridge
Mrs. Arthur Parratt and Mrs. Eddie Makon were awarded first honors in bridge when the Three G's club met last evening at the home of Mrs. C. E. Click on Forest street. Mrs. V. W. Orth received the floating award. On May 7 the members will be guests of Mrs. Byron Pence of Windsor street.

Three Guests Attend Club

Mrs. James Sidenstricker, Mrs. Leonard Meade and Mrs. Herman Haas were guests at a meeting of the Congenial 15 Club last evening with Mrs. Ralph Laird of North Main street. Mrs. Walter Noggin won a guessing box and Mrs. Haas won a guest prize in a contest. Mrs. Howard Travis won first honors in a contest and also a floating award. Mrs. Lester Green won second honors and Mrs. Glen VanSickle was consoled. The club will meet in two weeks with Mrs. Travis of 659 North Main street.

G. N. O. Club Meets for Cards, Lunch

Mrs. Irvin Graham was a guest when Mrs. Gladys Walters entertained the G. N. O. club last evening at her home on Fountain street. Awards for high scores in bridge were won by Miss Martha Lowry and Mrs. Harold Lill. Mrs. Phillip Brooks received a galloping award. The hostess served a lunch, assisted by her mother, Mrs. Ray Davis, and the latter's house guest, Mrs. Albert Marsteller of Akron. A meeting in two weeks will be with Miss Marybelle Burchette of Belmont street.

Give Party for Mrs. Jennings

The F. W. Woolworth Co. employees gave a party last evening at Ringer's inn on the Prospect road complimenting Mrs. Harold Jennings who was Miss Mildred Bender, an employee of the store, before her recent marriage. Misses Elsie Ackerman, Martha Howison, Virginia Mahony and Helen Dutt acted as hostesses.

Monopoly was played during the evening, honors going to Miss Evelyn Sykes and Miss Glenns Phillips.

The bride was presented a gift from the group. Lunch was served in Mrs. Jennings' wedding colors of pink and green.

Family Dinner Marks Anniversary
A family dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Schewin, on the Bethlehem road Sunday, was in observance of the birthday anniversary of the host. Present were Mr. and Mrs. John Dietrich and daughter Margaret, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Almendinger, Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Detrich, Miss Martha Almendinger, Miss Lozella Becket, Robert Rice, the host and hostess and their children, Marie, Edna, Mary Kathryn and Roy. The day was spent socially.

Sunshine Club Is Entertained

Mrs. Walter R. Saltz of Duluth avenue entertained the Jeanne Sunshine Club Thursday evening at her home. A discussion was held on the state convention of Sunshine clubs in Ohio held recently at Dayton. Plans were made for a benefit bridge in the near future. Refreshments were served. A meeting May 7 will be with Mrs. Leo Stoner on South Vine street.

Russian Music Topic for Study Club Meeting

Miss Mildred Duffee of 569 South Prospect street will be hostess when the Lecture-Recital study club meets for an evening of Russian music Monday. Miss Mary LeMasters will give a paper covering the last three chapters of the club's study book. Mrs. F. H. Johnson, a native of Russia, will talk on Russian music and will wear a costume of her country. Guests will include Mrs. C. L. Rutherford, Miss Wanda Mc-

MARION CLUB CALENDAR

MONDAY
Alturian club
Advance club
Delphian Topic club
Lecture Recital Study club
Research club
Searchlight club
Scouts club

TUESDAY
Dr. DeGale
El Dorado Literary club
Gamma Study club
Home Jester club
St. Paul Lodge club
Three Arts club
Woman's Century club

WEDNESDAY
Congenial Stitchers club
Double and Re-Double club
Fortnightly Bridge club
H. P. D. club
J. and T. club
Joy Time club
L. S. D. club
Night Owl club
N. D. club
Dinner Table club
Starlight club
Triple Four Euchre club
Tranquility club
T. M. E. club

THURSDAY
Coopers club
Heigh-Ho club
Marion Circle Child Conservation League
N. L. I. club
Theta Xi chapter Beta Sigma Phi sorority
Sunbeam Embroidery club
Wooden Shoe Pinocchio club

FRIDAY
Friday Night club
Oakland Club club
Woman's Home circle
Whitnot club

SATURDAY
Mahon and Howard Orr. The following program will be given: voice, "Over the Steppes," Gretschansky, by Harold Bradi-Baritone, accompanied by Miss McMahan; voice group by Mrs. C. L. Rutherford, accompanied by Miss McMahan; voice, "None But the Lonely Heart," Tschaikowsky, Howard Orr, tenor, accompanied by Miss Ruth Eckert, and a group of Russian folk songs by Miss McMahan, pianist. All members of the Lecture Recital club are invited to attend.

PARTY GIRLS CLUB

Meets for Social Hour

Ruth and Sarah Carey were hostesses to the Party Girls club Thursday evening at their home on Lee street. Contest awards were won by Imogene Anspaugh Ruth Orr and Donna and Mary Carey. The next meeting will be with Betty Pierson on Toledo ave.

ELLINGTON ON STAGE AT PALACE THEATER

Noted Director and Orchestra Here for Four Performances Today.

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DR. LORENA KAGAY ENTERTAINS CLASS

Dr. Lorena Kagay, associate teacher of the Elizabeth Dulry Sun-day school class of the First Presbyteri-an church, was hostess to the members last night at her home on East Center street. Miss Daisy, Miss Jeanette Howard and Miss Agnes Lutz were assisting hostesses. Officers elected in a business session in charge of the vice president, Miss Maude Alter, Mrs. Elwynne Myers, president; Mrs. L. E. Cookston, vice president; Mrs. Helen Anderson, secretary; Miss Howard, treasurer. After prayer by Miss Daisy, Dr. Kagay led a continuation of the study of the Book of Daniel. Refreshments were served in a social hour. The class will close its season of meetings with a potluck supper May 22 at the church.

Along with the Ellington attraction, patrons will be entertained by a fast-paced comedy-mystery, "Murder on the Bridge Path," with James Gleason and Helen Broderick engaged in super-sleuthing.

Y. CIRCUS DRAWS CAPACITY CROWD

Columbus Performers Contribute New Program Features; Final Performance Tonight.

A capacity crowd witnessed the second performance of the annual Y. M. C. A. circus, presented on the lower gym floor at the Y last night. The Ohio State university gym team and George Mayhew, Columbus city tumbling champion, added spice and color to the diversified program.

The high and parallel bar, flying rings and mat work by the Ohio team was an added attraction of the show last night. Smooth in its performance, the team gave the audience a neat display of graceful routine. The square will present its work again tonight on the closing circus program.

George Mayhew, 13-year-old Crestview Junior High school student, gave a demonstration of the form which won him the Columbus city tumbling championship. With ease and skill expected only in veterans, the youth gave an exceptional exhibition.

Vernon Gilmore, a former Marion resident and at present a student at Ohio State, gave a novel demonstration with flaming Indian clubs. With the gymnasium darkened, Gilmore went through the workout with the lighted clubs etching a unique pattern.

Other acts remained intact, with only minor changes. Final performances of the three-day circus will begin tonight at 8 o'clock.

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Just Things
BY EDNA S. DUTTON

Zelda

HERE was tumultuous rejoicing in the home of one east-side family this week over the return of an unique household pet—a frog. In fact the jubilation extended farther afield to the scene family friends and even strangers. Zelda, the family took a long shot and named her Zelda for sentimental reasons) may be only a frog to you, but that's because you don't know her and her accomplishments.

Liquidation of Bosca, Inc., former Marion leather and web goods industry, was placed in the hands of a trustee elected by creditors.

As a hearing in bankruptcy yesterday afternoon before Federal Referee Walter Jackson of Lima, in common pleas courtroom here, the trustee named, H. A. Thomas, of Toledo, succeeds T. E. Conner, receiver, as liquidating agent for the company.

As the next step in the dissolution of Bosca, Inc., the trustee will order an appraisal and sale of the company's property and assets and distribute proceeds of the sale among the creditors. J. W. Jacoby, attorney for the concern, said.

Present at the hearing yesterday, in addition to Mr. Jacoby, were Alfred Donithan, representing 12 creditors; Henry A. Mickley, representing eight creditors; Charles H. Conley, George T. Geran and Hugh Wells of Cleveland, all representing creditors. Mr. Wells operated the Bosca plant from January until dissolution of the company April 6 in an unsuccessful effort to make the concern solvent.

Bosca, Inc., was dissolved by a common pleas court order upon petition of Mrs. Vita Fraber of Mt. Victory, principal creditor. She has obtained a judgment against the company for \$5,141.49.

MRS. DENNIS WICK HOSTESS IN WALDO

Entertains Members of Wit and Wisdom Club.

SPECIAL TO THE STAR

WALDO, April 23—The Wit and Wisdom club met with Mrs. Dennis Wick Tuesday. A pot luck dinner was enjoyed at noon. Mrs. Wick presided during the business meeting after which contests and monopoly were engaged in. Mrs. Harriet Moyer and Mrs. Howard Gearlher won high honors. The guessing box was won by Mrs. Harry Klinge, a theater party will be enjoyed on May 5.

Mrs. Roscoe Strine entertained Tuesday evening. Two tables were filled for bridge. Mrs. W. A. Rhoton of Columbus won high honors and also galloping prize.

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Going Places

ARE you one of those souls that

spare out in a tux with only a vague idea of the location of your destination? The kind that makes drivers gnash their teeth and tear their hair, mentally of course. We plead guilty to that particular sin against transportation etiquette and can speak firsthand, it is frequently the cause of pink ears and much apologizing.

In fact we were accused of just wanting a buggy ride when we raced a car down a street to number the like of which there was none, only to learn we were a street too far. And we find it is general to be a joy in the neighborhood and something out of the ordinary in quilling.

It's a pleasure to be a hostess, to be a host and die without losing my dignity by "hanging on" and trying to be "peppy."

It is not foolish to try to look young. Every woman should look as young as possible.

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SATURDAY, APRIL 26, 1934

In the Long Run.

According to records of Home Owners' Loan Corp., just disclosed, the federal government has dealt leniently with Ohio home owners whose mortgages have been refinanced by federal funds. Of the more than 90,000 Ohio borrowers under the HOLC plan, about one in every four is delinquent in payments, but only 255 foreclosure proceedings have been instituted. All of these have been in the nature of special cases.

Undoubtedly, many justifiable criticisms can be leveled at HOLC, including the usual charge of political manipulations. There is, too, the graver question whether the federal government, under a system of free economic initiative, ever should have entered so largely into a field usually reserved to private finance. Yet, it hardly can be doubted that the flow of federal money did dislodge many banks of intolerable real estate burdens and gave many home owners another chance to keep their homes.

Since HOLC is obliged by law to complete its lending operations by June 13, the future prospects of the organization, rather than past deeds or misdeeds, should engage attention. In this connection it is significant to note that when the books are closed the government, it is estimated, will have more than a \$300,000,000 stake in Ohio homes and about \$3,600,000,000 throughout the nation. Leniency to defaulters, in a matter as vital as home ownership, is desirable. But with one out of four borrowers threatening to default completely, it cannot be forgotten that government is doing with taxpayers' money what private capital never could afford to do. In the long run it may be realized, moreover, that even government financing must be guided by the soundest private practices if credit is to be maintained.

Still At It.

Sen. Vandenberg has scored another bullseye in his effective one-man sniping campaign. Several times previously, notably in his single-handed fight which stopped the Florida ship canal folly and in his lone insistence upon publication of AAA benefit payments, the Michigan senator has held up the Republican banner almost unaided.

This time, as the senate debated the omnibus appropriation bill carrying funds for the department of justice, Democratic Sen. McKellar moved an amendment to take from the G-men budget \$26,000 which had been slashed in committee but reinstated by the house. Immediately, Sen. Vandenberg jumped into the breach and much to the discomfiture of the Democratic leaders forced them to change their own minds by defending the department of justice.

Repeatedly, in lone forays such as this last one, Sen. Vandenberg has helped to justify faith in the parliamentary system of government. Despite derision by most of his conferees, he has assumed Republican leadership and checked the majority sharply. Never did he feel, despite the overwhelming numerical superiority of the opposition, that an opposition effort was not worth making.

That is how the party system is supposed to work. Whether or not Sen. Vandenberg changes from a dark horse to a light horse in the Republican national convention, it is certain he has enhanced his own reputation and revived faith in the party system by the keenness and zest of his opposition activities in the Senate.

Mother, Aunties and Papa.
Freddie Bartholomew, juvenile movie star, is playing a passive role in a real life drama being enacted in Los Angeles, as his mother, father and aunt argue about his guardianship. He doesn't know how the plot will end.

In her first legal skirmish to gain custody of her son, Mrs. Bartholomew found the judge sympathetic to the aunt's contention that she, the mother, had never evidenced any affection for Freddie during the last nine years. But the cruelest blow came when Cecil Llewellyn Bartholomew, the father, cabled from London that he had complete confidence in the aunt, Myllieent Bartholomew, and believed the child's best interests would be served by continuing the aunt's guardianship. The judge agreed with Mr. Bartholomew and denied the mother's motion.

Especially since the case is tied so closely to the shins of the world's greatest screen, Hollywood, it is difficult to judge the merits of either side. The whole affair conceivably might be a publicity stunt. On the other hand, it might be merely an instance of two far-sighted and somewhat mercenary persons battling for the right

to control the treasure chest that Freddie represents. Still again, two women litigants might be bound by ties of strong affection to the heart winning young actor.

Certain it is that Mrs. Bartholomew has the right to continue the fight, as she announced she would do. A mother's claim to her own child never should be set lightly aside. But a solution will be required to decide. The question is, whether the Hollywood atmosphere is conducive to the calmness and sane judgment which will be needed.

Practical Pathways to Peace.

Tuesday night, under sponsorship of the Emergency Peace Campaign, Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt spoke for the women of America, George Lansbury, British Labor M. P., for the peace-minded people of the world, and Kirby Page for the sponsors.

All three speakers must have compelled their listeners' sympathy with the overwhelming logic of the cause for which they stood, but perhaps the most significant note of the symposium was the different method of approach stressed by each.

Mrs. Roosevelt laid stress upon the part that citizens, as voters, can play. If peace-minded voters are not satisfied that congress is able and willing to strengthen the country's attitude toward peace, she holds, they must see to it that they elect only representatives pledged to the peace ideal.

For his appeal, Mr. Lansbury emphasized the need for revitalization of the Christian spirit throughout the world. To him, the people's will to peace would be energized and made invincible by a resurgence of the Republican party who undergoing a regeneration. There is, for instance, Mrs. George E. Simmons of Missouri, who thrilled the "grass roots" Republican convention by her eloquence—she is a farmer's wife who knows how to express an opposition to the new deal in understandable terms. Then there are such noted Democrats as Lewis Douglas, former director of the budget, and Colonel Henry Breckinridge of the Constitutional Democrats. Here at least was a chance for the genuine gesture of friendliness to the Democrats who are being driven out of their own party by the Roosevelt violations of the Democratic party platform of 1932.

All of this point of view was fully known to the Republican leaders weeks ahead of the Cleveland meeting this week, but unhappily a Republican political machine sticks so closely to precedent and tradition as to forget that nowadays the Republican party is in the minority and millions of independent voters must be won over. Among these are many millions of people who haven't made up their minds about the new deal and who will have to be given convincing evidence that defeat of Roosevelt doesn't mean a return to reaction and ultra-conservatism.

Five persons, if they recall the days of 1916, would wish to put their whole trust in the nation's will to peace, as asserted in congress, or in the efficacy of Christianity. They will ponder, if they are realistic lovers of peace, Mr. Page's suggestion that the peace foundation must be laid on the bed rock of a public opinion informed against the economic and political folly of war.

Unprecedented.

Since the circumstances of the 1936 election are unusual in so many ways, it is not surprising to learn from the statistician or the secretary of state's office that the cost of the primary and the election in Ohio is going to be unprecedented. It is expected to reach at least \$2,000,000, which is \$60,000 more than the cost of the same electoral process in 1932.

Voters don't think often of the expense of exercising the privilege of the ballot. Indifference is due largely to the far greater expense of operating the government which the ballot maintains. It is difficult, furthermore, to take the position that money spent on primaries and elections ever is wasted, even when unusual expense is incurred by a rush of job seekers such as the one caused in Ohio by passage of the term extender bill. There is, after all, no cheaper acceptable way to operate government. Even where the outcome is decided before the voting, as in Germany, it still costs money to print ballots and to operate the electoral process.

Glancing Backward

TEN YEARS AGO

It was Sunday, April 25, 1924.

Col. James H. Ranney of Marion, regimental head of the Uniform Tank, Knights of Pythias, was elected brigadier general of the Ohio Brigade at the state election held in Mansfield.

Burglars broke into the H. B. Ward department store in Bucyrus and carried away \$800 worth of silk goods and \$60 in cash.

Mr. and Mrs. William Zahn entertained at dinner at their home on Canby court in honor of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Zahn, recently married.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Cull were surprised by a company of friends who called at their home on East Center street in celebration of their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary.

The upper story of the home of Mrs. W. S. Groscoff in Cardington was destroyed by fire.

TWENTY YEARS AGO.

It was Tuesday, April 25, 1916.

A German squadron was defeated by a British squadron in the North Sea. An official statement by the British admiralty reported that the German warships were in flight, pursued by the British men-of-war.

A news dispatch from Berlin reported that the German foreign office was "exceedingly hopeful" of averting a break between Germany and the United States over the submarine issue.

Daughters were born to Mr. and Mrs. John Mackey of Thompson street, Mr. and Mrs. William Ambrose of Waterloo street and Mr. and Mrs. Grover Dodds of Monroe street.

In the statewide primary, Senator Warren G. Harding, Governor Frank B. Willis, William Cooper Proctor and John J. Sullivan were elected delegates-at-large to the Republican national convention while the delegates chosen for the Democratic convention were Senator Alton Pomerene, James M. Cox, James E. Campbell and Judson Harmon.

Less than 10 per cent of the vote of Marion county was cast in the presidential preferential primary election.

CHECKUP NEEDED

Mr. Hearst thinks it is a horrible trespass upon constitutional personal rights for the senate to seize private telegrams. So it would seem to be. But what was it when little while ago Mr. Hearst was demanding of congress that it seize the records, papers and ransack the files of American universities to see if seditious and communistic hotbeds might not be discovered?—Charlotte Observer.

SAFETY NOTE

If the trend to lighter trains and heavier buses continues, soon the trains will be stopping for grade crossings. — Mobile Register.

CHANGE IN SCENE

Canada's house of commons has approved the trade treaty with U. S. May we'd better read it again.—Mobile Times.

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Republicans Stick To Conservatism

Action of Leaders in Selecting Convention Chairman Indicates Stand-patters To Stay in Control.

BY DAVID LAWRENCE.

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WASHINGTON, April 25.—The Republic's political machine, otherwise known as the Republican national committee, has just ridden roughshod over that large and substantial number of persons who had been led to believe that in this year of all years a progressive rather than a reactionary administration was essential.

By selecting Bertrand Snell as permanent chairman of the Republican national convention, the committee has at one fell swoop served notice in effect that the reactionary wing of the party is in complete control and that progressives of the Republican variety and independent Democrats of the truly liberal school will, of course, be welcomed as onlookers and spectators but not as equal participants in the councils of the Republican party.

Mr. Snell is a popular figure in the house of representatives and an excellent presiding officer. But he was permanent chairman of the 1932 convention that nominated Mr. Hoover for reelection and it did look as if he and others might be willing to pass the honor around a bit, especially when there were so many persons in the progressive list from which to choose.

The selection of Senator Steiner of Oregon as temporary chairman will meet with general approval, but he might better have been given the job of permanent chairman so that the temporary chairmanship could have gone to someone who, on the opening night of the convention, would give the country realistic proof that the Republican party was undergoing a regeneration.

There is, for instance, Mrs. George E. Simmons of Missouri, who thrilled the "grass roots" Republican convention by her eloquence—she is a farmer's wife who knows how to express an opposition to the new deal in understandable terms. Then there are such noted Democrats as Lewis Douglas, former director of the budget, and Colonel Henry Breckinridge of the Constitutional Democrats. Here at least was a chance for the genuine gesture of friendliness to the Democrats who are being driven out of their own party by the Roosevelt violations of the Democratic party platform of 1932.

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This is a sincere expression of highly authoritative opinion, but the Kansas Coolidge is by no means out of the woods yet. Most of his delegates are put irretrievably nailed to his cause. An unforeseen development might cause an exodus from the band wagon.

In fact, an unforeseen development is now being talked about by certain powers with money enough to carry out their ideas. You may hear about it shortly, but it is starting a little late to do anything effective.

Co-ordination

The Cleveland meeting was less of a clash and less of a victory for any faction than has been generally advertised.

There was some shadow boxing over the selection of a keynoter and convention chairman, but both the Landon and anti-Landon people hacked away. If the fight had been carried through, the committee on arrangements would have divided 6 to 8. Chairman Fletcher probably would have cast the deciding vote against Mr. Roosevelt to defeat him. Nobody with the slightest amount of political experience believes any such thing, but the Republican leadership evidently does.

It would be incredible if the progressives in the Republican party took the latest blow at their viewpoint lying down. There is nothing personal in the opposition to Mr. Snell's appointment. If a conservative were to be chosen, he is the best of that group who could be selected. But as a symbol of standpatterism, Mr. Snell confirms the view held by critics of the Republican party that it is not awake to what is happening in the nation and that it hasn't discovered as yet the real reason why the new deal has made such tremendous political headway in the last three years.

The two men chosen are highly regarded among most Republican authorities here. Steiner is a comer in party affairs. Snell is a good parliamentarian as could be obtained.

President Roosevelt will probably not have much to say in his next few speeches. They will be handled as "routine."

The reaction to his Baltimore bombshell is fresh in the White House mind. Also Gentleman Jim Farley is supposed to have been pulling a few White House wires deftly of late to promote quid pro quo there. Some of his pals have been grumbling since the Baltimore experience that they are able to keep everyone else in the new deal quiet but cannot handle Mr. Roosevelt.

The double chairman generally-almost wholly believes no occasion now exists for saying anything important.

Misgivings

The reason the house tax bill has rubbed certain Democratic

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SPECIAL TO THE STAR
MT. GILEAD, April 25—Members of all community committees elected recently to have charge of the federal farm soil conservation program in Morrow county met at the Mt. Gilead junior high school building Friday for a discussion of the program.

Elwood Davis, county agricultural agent, and the three members of the county affiliation committee who attended a district meeting at Mansfield Wednesday explained the entire program and gave the community committees instructions on contracting and signing up farmers in their respective districts.

The benefit payments are made on the amount of land changed from production of soil depleting to soil conserving crops. The community committees will contact farmers next week.

MARION RAILROADER FINDS BODY ON RAIL

SPECIAL TO THE STAR
MANSFIELD, O., April 25—E. L. Cook of Marion, an Erie railroad conductor, found the body of an unidentified man beside the railroad tracks today a few minutes after his train had passed the spot. Dr. L. C. Nigh, acting coroner, said he believed the man attempted to board the train and fell under the wheels. His body was severed at the waist.

MRS. ANNA EISELE STRICKEN IN GALION

SPECIAL TO THE STAR
GALION, April 25—Funeral services for Mrs. Anna Eisele, 74, will be held Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Snyder Funeral home in charge of a reader of the First Church of Christ Scientist, Burton. Will be made in Fairview cemetery.

Mrs. Eisele died Thursday night after an illness of four weeks, surviving besides her husband are two daughters, Mrs. Berlin Goldsmith

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FUNERAL MONDAY The funeral of Mrs. Charles E. Campbell, who died yesterday at her home at 157 Franklin avenue, will be conducted Monday at 2 p.m. at the W. C. Boyd funeral home on West Columbus street by Rev. Carl V. Dugay of the First United Brethren church. Burial will be made in the Marion cemetery. The body may be viewed at the funeral home. Mrs. Campbell was married twice, her first husband, Alfred M. Purvis, having preceded her in death.

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SPECIAL TO THE STAR
LARUE, April 25—The first of the series of important events of the Larue High school 1938 graduating class took place Friday night at Senior High school auditorium with the presentation of the senior class play, "Wind in the South," by Edward Raudt. Miss Hilda Schooley directed the production.

"Appomattox Day" was observed by the local Daughters of Union Veterans Friday afternoon at the armory.

The last meeting of the study year of the Current News club was held Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Henry Marie Cook.

Miss Betty Shirk and Ruth Denman entertained the home economics demonstration class of the local high school at the Shirk home Tuesday night. Mrs. Harper, teacher, was present and assisted with the program.

Mrs. F. L. Topliff was hostess to the Presbyterian Missionary society Wednesday afternoon. The devotionals were in charge of the hostess assisted by Mrs. J. A. Winkler who presided for the meeting and reviewed the national subject, "The Native Indian." The foreign topic "Chosen" was reviewed by Mrs. Ruth. Mrs. Topliff gave a report as delegate to the Presbyterian meeting held at Kenton. Presbyterian church March 17-18, Rev. J. A. Winkler was a guest.

The Baptist Missionary society met with Mrs. Perry Gatchell Wednesday afternoon with nine members and one guest, Mrs. Lawrence Tilton, present. The following program was given: "Bible in the Church," Mrs. John Zeig; "Missionary Churches," Mrs. Willis Clark; "How Shall They Preach?" Mrs. Jessie Greenwood; "Christian Center," Mrs. Gatchell; "Town and Country," Mrs. O. White; "Mother India," Mrs. Tilton; "The Cities Negro," Mrs. Sterl Blue; "Fathers of Men," Mrs. W. D. Miller.

The meeting closed with the Lord's Prayer. Mrs. Willis Clark will be hostess in May.

DISTRICT BRIEFS

MARYSVILLE — The matter of city council taking action to reinforce an ordinance covering the situation which was passed last year, Connell entered into a lengthy discussion of the problem but finally tabled it.

BUCYRUS— Crawford county financial institutions and business concerns have benefited in the sum of \$333,500 in loans from the Reconstruction Finance Corp. to date, it was disclosed in the financial report of the RFC for Ohio.

MT. GILEAD — Two cases of scarlet fever have been contracted this week in Mt. Gilead. Malcolm Boggs, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Boggs, and Ruth Bachelor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bachelor are ill with the disease.

KENTON—James Baker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Karl H. Baker of Kenton, will have a prominent part in the music festival planned by Ohio Northern University for May 17 to 27. Appearing as a baritone soloist in a recital May 19, he will render six solo numbers and will sing in a quartet.

UPPER SANDUSKY—WOMAN'S KIN DIES

SPECIAL TO THE STAR

UPPER SANDUSKY, April 25—Charles Freeman Pratt, 81, of Arlington, father of Mrs. H. S. Thomas of this city died at the Findlay Home and Hospital Wednesday morning. He submitted to an operation at the hospital Monday. Mrs. Thomas was at the hospital at the time of her father's death. He is survived by his wife, Tillie Henchey Pratt and three children, including Mrs. Thomas of this city. Funeral services were held at the Methodist Protestant church in Arlington this morning with burial in Lee cemetery near Van Wert.

FORMER CARDINGTON WOMAN SUCCUMBS

SPECIAL TO THE STAR

CARDINGTON, O., April 25—Elizabeth Caton, 86, widow of Sydney Caton, died at the Hardin Rest home at Toledo Wednesday. She is the daughter of Charles and Anna Wolfe, pioneer residents of Cardington. She was born Oct. 15, 1849, at Cardington. She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. E. O. Host of Toledo and a niece, Mrs. E. M. Whittle of here. Funeral services were held this afternoon at the Carl mortuary. Rev. Ralph Alton officiated. Interment was made in Glendale.

CHATFIELD WOMAN DIES

BUCYRUS, April 25—Funeral services will be held Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the W. C. Boyd funeral home for Mrs. Elsie Fletcher, 61, who died suddenly of a heart attack at her home near Chatfield Friday. Rev. D. N. Collier, pastor of First Presbyterian church, will officiate and burial will be made in Oakwood cemetery.

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Mrs. Charles Kirby and Mrs. Kenneth Johnston Entertainers.

SPECIAL TO THE STAR

PROSPECT, April 25—The World Wide guild of the Baptist church met Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Jessie Wood of West Columbia street. They are Mrs. C. H. Lindsay, president; Mrs. J. W. Hungate, vice president; Mrs. H. F. Evans, secretary; Mrs. L. A. Robinson, assistant secretary; Mrs. F. B. Shannon, treasurer; Mrs. S. L. Surface, teacher; Mrs. F. O. Howard and Mrs. L. O. Magill, assistant teachers. The meeting opened with a song service, with Mrs. C. F. Church at the piano. Mrs. Evans read paper on "He Is Just a Little Boy," and a paper on "God and the Depression" was read by Mrs. Magill. Mrs. Marie Edgington and Mrs. F. J. Kellogg were guests. The next meeting will be held in May.

CARDINGTON BRIDGE CLUB ENTERTAINED

SPECIAL TO THE STAR

CARDINGTON, April 25—Mrs. Frank Hartsook entertained her bridge club and guests Tuesday. Four tables were in play. High club honors were awarded to Mrs. L. E. Henry and Mrs. Earl Rollins. Mrs. Lucy Myers was guest honor.

The Sunshine Embroidery club met Tuesday evening with Mrs. Edna Heales. After a short business meeting a miscellaneous shower was given for Mrs. Martin Fish and Mrs. Hazel Batchelder. Refreshments were served to 20 guests.

GREENWOOD CHURCH CLASS ENTERTAINED

SPECIAL TO THE STAR

CARDINGTON, April 25—Wayne McCracken, 83, died Friday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Granger Trease of Penland neighborhood near Marengo. Death followed an illness of several months.

He is survived by five daughters, Mrs. Clay Gates of Mt. Gilead, Mrs. Fred Evans of Fulton, Mrs. Bryant Whittemore and Mrs. Ray Hildebrand of Cardington and Mrs. Granger Trease of Marengo with whom he had made his home for more than 30 years. Funeral services will be held Monday at 2 p.m. at the Baptist church. Rev. W. L. Cook will officiate. Burial will be at Chesterville.

RFC GRANTS TOTAL \$301,600

KENTON, O., April 25—Financial institutions and business concerns of Hardin county have received a total of \$301,600 in loans from the Reconstruction Finance Corp. The sum is part of the \$336,516,303.53 authorized for lending purposes in Ohio.

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